

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: K. IIDA, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/590,845  
Filed: AUGUST 28, 2006  
For: PREVENTIVE AND/OR THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR  
NEUTROPHILIC INFLAMMATORY DISEASES  
Group AU: 1626  
Examiner: Rebecca L. Anderson  
Confirm. No.: 1367

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

DO NOT ENTER: /RA/

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May 11, 2011

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 16, 2011, please amend the above-identified application as listed in the following, and as set forth on the following pages:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS;

REMARKS are included following the amendments.